

**Remarks**

Claim 31 was presented for examination. Claim 31 was rejected under 35 U.S.C § 112. Claim 31 is hereby amended and new claims 32-44 are hereby presented for examination. No new matter has been added. Upon entry of the present amendment claim 31-44 are pending.

Applicants thank the Examiner for the phone interviews conducted with attorney for the client.

**Rejection of claim 31 under 35 U.S.C § 112**

Applicants hereby amend Claim 31 and submits that the rejection of claim 31 is overcome. Accordingly, Applicants submit that claim 31 is now in condition for allowance.

**Patentability of New Claims**

Claim 32-41 depend from independent claim 31 and are patentable for the same reasons as that claim. Claim 44 is a method claim corresponding in scope to claim 31.

**Conclusion**

Should the Examiner feel that a telephone conference with Applicants' representative would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is urged to contact the Applicants representative at the telephone number identified below.

Respectfully submitted,

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